CHAPTER 183.

Passed Mar. AN ACT to incorporate the Town of Princess Anne in Somerset County, Maryland.

Sections repealed.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That sections one hundred and two, one hundred and three, one hundred and four, and all sections to one hundred and thirty-six inclusive of the nineteenth article of the Code of Public Local Laws, entitled Somerset County, sub-title, Princess Anne, be and are hereby repealed, and the following enacted in their stead:

Incorporated —power and privileges.

Sec. 102. And be it enacted, The inhabitants of the Town of Princess Anne in Somerset County are hereby made and declared a body corporate, with all the privileges of a body corporate, by the name of the Commissioners of Princess Anne, and by that name may sue and be sued, have and use a common seal, and have perpetual succession.

Elections to be held.

Sec. 103. And be it enacted, The free male white citizens of said Town who have resided therein six months preceding any election, and all free male white citizens residing in the county of Somerset and owning real estate within the said Town limits shall, on the third Monday in March in each year, (beginning with the third Monday of March 1867,) elect five persons to be the Commissioners of the Town as aforesaid, which persons to be eligible must have resided in the State one year and within the Town limits six months.

First election —where held.

Sec. 104. And be it enacted, The first election under this Act shall be held at the Court House of said county, and the judges thereof shall be three in number and be designated and appointed by the clerk of the circuit court for Somerset county, who shall swear them as other judges of election are sworn and require, them to sign the test-book as other officers of said county are required to do, and thereafter the place of holding the election, and as the judge or judges as the Commissioners of said Town shall decide, shall be such as the said Commissioners may designate, but the judge or judges of election appointed by them shall take